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**PRELIMINARY OAK NO. 1, MISSION 4027, DETAILS TO FOLLOW  
IN A LATER OAK EDITION.**

**THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RELATES TO A PRELIMINARY REVIEW  
OF MISSION 4027, DATED 20-25 APRIL 1966.**

**1. FOURTEEN OF THE 25 KNOWN DEPLOYED ICBM COMPLEXES AND THE  
TYURATAM MISSILE TEST CENTER ARE COVERED BY PHOTOGRAPHY.  
GLADKAYA, NOVOSIBIRSK, OLOVYANNAYA, PERM, PLESETSK, SVOBODNYI,  
UZHUR AND THE TYURATAM MISSILE TEST CENTER ARE COVERED BY CLEAR  
PHOTOGRAPHY. ALEYSK, DOMBAROVSKIY, IMENI GASTELLO, TATISHCHEVO,  
DROVYANAYA, ITATKA AND VERKHNYAYA SALDA ARE OBSERVED THROUGH  
SCATTERED-TO-HEAVY CLOUDS. THE REMAINING ELEVEN COMPLEXES ARE  
EITHER CLOUD COVERED OR NOT COVERED.**

**2. THIRTEEN TYPE IIID LAUNCH SITES ARE NEWLY IDENTIFIED.  
THREE ARE LOCATED AT GLADKAYA, 2 AT PERM AND 8 AT SVOBODNYI.  
AT THE PLESETSK COMPLEX, A GANTRY IS OBSERVED ON THE PAD IN  
LAUNCH AREA G AND A GANTRY UNDER CONSTRUCTION IS OBSERVED ON  
THE PAD IN LAUNCH AREA H.**

**3. PORTIONS OF THE EMBA MISSILE TEST CENTER INCLUDING THE  
LAUNCH AREA, OPERATIONAL SUPPORT AREA, SUPPORT AREA B, AND  
ELECTRONICS SITE ARE OBSERVED THROUGH SCATTERED CLOUDS. AN  
EXERCISE IS OBSERVED IN PROGRESS IN THE LAUNCH AREA.**

**4. ONLY THE WESTERN PART OF THE KAPUSTIN YAR/VLADIMIROVKA  
MISSILE TEST CENTER INCLUDING PRIMARILY THE SAM LAUNCH COMPLEX  
IS COVERED BY PHOTOGRAPHY. THE V-SHAPED RAIL PATTERN IS CLEARLY  
DISCERNIBLE AT ONE OF THE LAUNCH POSITIONS.**

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5. THE SSM LAUNCH FACILITIES AT THE SHUANG-CHENG-TZU MISSILE TEST CENTER, CHINA, ARE COVERED WITH STEREO PHOTOGRAPHY OF FAIR INTERPRETABILITY. CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY CONTINUES AT LAUNCH COMPLEX B.

6. COVERAGE OF THE DEPLOYED AMM/SAM LAUNCH COMPLEXES IS AS FOLLOWS: LENINGRAD NW AND TALLINN ARE OBSERVED ON CLEAR STEREO PHOTOGRAPHY ON TWO PASSES. AT LENINGRAD NW ALL LAUNCH SITES AND THE ELECTRONIC SITE ARE OCCUPIED. AT TALLINN, LAUNCH SITES A & B ARE OCCUPIED, LAUNCH SITE C IS PARTIALLY OCCUPIED, AND THREE RADARS ARE IN POSITION AT THE ELECTRONIC SITE. ALL OTHER AMM/SAM LAUNCH COMPLEXES ARE CLOUD COVERED OR NOT COVERED.

7. THE ABM ASSOCIATED ELECTRONIC FACILITIES AT SAM SITES E 31-1 AND E 33-1, MOSCOW, ARE OBSERVED AND CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES AT BOTH LOCATIONS. PROBABLE LAUNCH POSITIONS ARE NOW DISCERNIBLE AT TRIAD 1, E 33-1.

8. THE DUAL HEN HOUSE FACILITY AT SITE 13, SARY-SHAGAN ANTI-MISSILE TEST CENTER IS OBSERVED ON CLEAR, MONO PHOTOGRAPHY. ALL OTHER DUAL HEN HOUSE FACILITIES ARE CLOUD COVERED OR NOT COVERED. OTHER FACILITIES AT SARY-SHAGAN OBSERVED ARE AS FOLLOWS: LAUNCH COMPLEX B IS COVERED ON MONO PHOTOGRAPHY WITH LIMITING WEATHER CONDITIONS; AMM/SAM LAUNCH COMPLEX 1 IS PARTIALLY COVERED BUT IMAGERY IS BLURRED; THE HEN HOUSE ANTENNA, THE HEN ROOST ANTENNAS, INSTRUMENTATION SITES 1 AND 2, THE PRIMARY AIRFIELD, THE LONG DIRT STRIP, COMMUNICATION SITES 1 AND 2, THE MISSILE

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STORAGE AND CHECKOUT AREA, AND THE MAIN HOUSING COMPLEX ARE COVERED ON CLEAR, STEREO PHOTOGRAPHY. THE REFLECTOR SCREENS AT HEN ROOST ANTENNAS NORTH AND SOUTH ARE CONFIRMED AS HAVING BEEN DISMANTLED.

9. IN NORTH VIETNAM, THE HANOI AREA WAS COVERED BY 50 PERCENT SCATTERED CLOUD COVERED PHOTOGRAPHY. SIX (6) OF THE KNOWN SA-2 SAM SITES, B21-2 (NUMBER 2); A17A-2 (NUMBER 45); A19-2 (NUMBER 15); A10-2 (NUMBER 10); C07-2 (NUMBER 30) AND A11-2 (NUMBER 9) WERE OBSERVED. ONLY SITE A11-2 (NUMBER 9) WAS OCCUPIED. NO NEW SAM ACTIVITY WAS OBSERVED IN THE CLOUD FREE AREAS. THE LAO-CAI AREA WAS COVERED WITH 20 PERCENT CLOUD COVERED PHOTOGRAPHY AND THE DONG-HOI AREA WAS COVERED 10 PERCENT CLOUD COVERED PHOTOGRAPHY. NO NEW SAM ACTIVITY WAS OBSERVED IN THE CLOUD FREE AREAS.

10. AT THE BORISOGLEBSK SENSITIVE OPERATIONS COMPLEX, USSR, TWO FAGOT/FRESCO ARE IDENTIFIED IN THE MOTOR POOL AREA. THIS IS THE FIRST TIME AIRCRAFT HAVE BEEN OBSERVED AT THIS COMPLEX.

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13. AT THE KAMENSK-SHAKHTINSKIY ROCKET MOTOR TEST FACILITY, USSR, FOR THE FIRST TIME, A PROBABLE ROCKET MOTOR CARRIER IS OBSERVED ON A RAIL SPUR WHICH ENTERS THE FLARED END OF THE LARGE TEST CELL.

14. A TOTAL OF 70 BLINDER AIRCRAFT IS OBSERVED AT THE FOLLOWING USSR AIRFIELDS: BARANOVICH, NEZHIN, GOMEL/PRIBYTKI AND ZHITOMIR/SKOMOROKHI.

15. AT DOLAN AIRFIELD, 39 BEAR (19 WITH KANGAROO MISSILES), AND 12 ADDITIONAL KANGAROO MISSILES ARE OBSERVED.

16. AT LI-CHIA-TSUN AIRFIELD, CHINA, THE CONCRETE RUNWAY IS NOW IN FINAL SURFACING STAGE.

17. AT THE SHEN-YANG AIRFRAME PLANT 112, CHINA, FIRST PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE OF PROBABLE AIRCRAFT PRODUCTION IS SEEN AND 67 FARMER, 1 PARTIALLY ASSEMBLED FARMER, 1 FISHBED, AND 1 PROBABLE MOOSE ARE OBSERVED.

18. THERE IS PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE THAT HOUND HELICOPTERS ARE BEING PRODUCED AT THE HA-ERH-PIN AIRFRAME PLANT, CHINA, AND 21 HOUND ARE OBSERVED.

19. AT THE HSI-AN AIRCRAFT ENGINE PLANT WU-KUNG, CHINA, 12 BULL, 3 BEAGLE, 22 FARMER, 1 FAGOT/FRESCO, 2 COOT (ONE IN FLIGHT), 1 COLT, 1 CREEK AND 6 POSSIBLE HELICOPTER FUSELAGES ARE OBSERVED.

20. THE PETROPAVLOVSK NAVAL BASE IS COVERED TWICE ON STEREO

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PHOTOGRAPHY WITH POOR VESSEL/WATER CONTRAST LIMITING INTERPRETATION. THREE PROBABLE NUCLEAR SUBMARINES ARE PRESENT. THE OTHER PACIFIC OCEAN FLEET BASES ARE EITHER CLOUD COVERED OR NOT COVERED.

21. THE NIKOLAYEV SHIPYARDS ARE COVERED ON OBLIQUE STEREO PHOTOGRAPHY AND 2 LARGE PROBABLE HELICOPTER SUPPORT VESSELS ARE IDENTIFIED.

22. OF THE FOUR MAJOR CHINESE NAVAL BASES -- LUTA, TA-HSIEN TAO, CHAN-CHIANG AND SHAN-TOU -- ONLY SHAN-TOU WAS VISIBLE AND THERE WAS NOTHING SIGNIFICANT OBSERVED.

23. THE VEHICLE COUNT AT THE KUEI-YANG STORAGE DEPOT, CHINA, WAS INCREASED BY APPROXIMATELY 175 CARGO TRUCKS SINCE MISSION [REDACTED] THE ROAD, RAIL LINE, AND RAILYARDS BETWEEN THE DEPOT AND KUEI-YANG ARE ACTIVE WITH HEAVY TRAFFIC.

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